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PATENT ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, Gerald F. Hermann and Mark S. Leybzun, the undersigned, (hereinafter collectively ASSIGNOR) have invented certain new and useful improvements in "ROBOTICALLY OPERATED LASER HEAD" as disclosed and claimed in pending U.S. Patent Serial No. 09/786,979, filed June 4, 2001; and

WHEREAS, GSI LUMONICS^{Corporation} (hereinafter ASSIGNEE) a corporation of the State of Michigan, having its principal place of business at 39 Manning Rd, Billerica, MA 01821, desires to acquire the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable considerations, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged the undersigned by these presents do sell, assign and transfer unto ASSIGNOR, its heirs, successors, assigns and personal representatives, all right, title and interest in the United States of America and all foreign countries in and to my interest in said invention as described in the aforementioned patent application and to any improvements on said invention heretofore or hereinafter made, and any divisions, continuations, completions, and any foreign counterparts of said application, and all patents, United States and foreign, granted upon any such applications or for the inventions described therein, and any reissues or extensions of said patents; and I hereby authorize and request

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Patent Assignment

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ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment.


ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation or proceeding related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

For said consideration I hereby covenant and agree that I am the owner of the full undivided interest herein assigned and have the right to assign the same, and agree that I will communicate to ASSIGNEE or its representatives, any facts known to me respecting said invention or inventions and testify in any legal proceedings relating thereto when called upon, and will sign all

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ASSIGNOR is necessary to vest in it and protect the legal title sought to be
assigned.


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Signed this 02 day of February 2002.

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